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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.**

**NOTICE.**  
CANDIDATES are required for the Post of  
INSPECTOR OF POLICE, H.M. Naval  
Yard.  
Salary—\$100 per Month and Free Quarters.  
Application to be made in writing accompanied  
by Testimonials to the Commanding  
Superintendent.  
H.M. Naval Yard,  
Hongkong, 15th February, 1896. [472]

**GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.**  
No. 49.

THE following Particulars and Conditions  
of Sale of CROWN LAND by PUBLIC  
AUCTION, to be held on the spot, on  
MONDAY, the 25th day of FEBRUARY, 1896,  
at 10 a.m., by Order of His Excellency the  
Governor, of Three Lots of Crown Land, at  
North Point, in the Colony of Hongkong, for  
a Term of 99 years.

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TUESDAY, the 26th day of FEBRUARY, 1896,  
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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.**  
THE STEWARDS request the pleasure of  
the presence of the LADIES at the  
GRAND STAND and Enclosures during the  
Races on the 20th, 21st, and 22nd inst.  
T. F. HOUGH,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [476]

**HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.**  
NO SERVANTS will be allowed inside the  
Enclosures of the Racecourse during the  
Race Days without Tickets, which can be  
had on application to the Undersecretary.  
T. F. HOUGH,  
Clerk of the Course.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [478]

**HUMPHREYS ESTATE AND FINANCE  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE TENTH ORDINARY ANNUAL  
GENERAL MEETING of SHARE-  
HOLDERS of the above Company will be held  
at the registered OFFICES of the Company,  
8 and 40, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, on TUES-  
DAY, the 25th inst., at Eleven A.M., for the  
purpose of receiving the Report of the Govern-  
ing Directors, together with a Statement of  
Accounts for the year ending 31st December,  
1895.

**THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company**  
will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 26th  
inst., both days inclusive.  
By Order,  
HARD BUCK,  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [479]

**ZETLAND LODGE.**  
No. 535 E.C.  
**A MEETING of EMERGENCY of ZET-  
LAND LODGE** will be held at the  
GREENSBORO HALL on WEDNESDAY, the  
21st inst., at 8.30 p.m. precisely. Visiting  
Members are cordially invited to attend.  
—Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [483]

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION,  
at the Residence of Mr. C. H. HOLDSWORTH,  
Mica Works, SHANKUWAN ROAD,  
TO-DAY  
(MONDAY), the 17th day of FEBRUARY, 1896,  
at 10.30 a.m.

Under With of Execution.  
SUNDY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
POULTRY, &c., &c.  
TERMS OF SALE—As Customary.  
J. H. STEWART LOCKHART,  
Colonial Secretary.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [484]

**PRELIMINARY NOTICE.**  
THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION  
ON  
TUESDAY, the 25th FEBRUARY, 1896,  
at 10.30 a.m.,  
Opposite the City Hall  
Upwards of FIFTY PONIES,  
Suitable for Racing, Polo, and Selections from  
the Largest Stables.  
Further entries received until Noon on day of  
Sale.  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [485]

**BANK HOLIDAYS.**  
THE Undersigned BANKS will be  
CLOSED to the Transaction of Public  
Business at 11.45 a.m. on THURSDAY, FEB-  
RUARY, and SATURDAY, the 20th, 21st, and  
22nd inst. respectively.  
FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-  
TRALIA, AND CHINA.  
T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager.  
FOR THE HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING  
CORPORATION.  
J. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.  
FOR THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED.  
Geo. W. F. FLAFAIR,  
Chief Manager.  
FOR THE MERCHANT BANK OF INDIA, LI-  
MITED.  
J. W. H. TAYLOR,  
Manager, Hongkong.  
FOR THE BANK OF CHINA AND JAPAN,  
LIMITED, HONGKONG.  
CHARTREY INCERBALD,  
Manager.  
FOR THE BANK OF CHINA AND JAPAN,  
LIMITED, HONGKONG.  
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.  
FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND  
POOCHOW.  
THE Company's Steamship.  
"HAI TAN."  
Captain Reach, will be despatched for the  
above Ports TO-MORROW, the 18th inst., at  
DAYLIGHT.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.,  
General Managers.  
Hongkong, 15th February, 1896. [490]

**THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI-  
GATION COMPANY, LIMITED.**  
FOR LONDON VIA SINGAPORE AND  
COCHIN.  
THE Company's Steamship  
"NINGHOW."  
H. Harris, Commander, will be despatched at  
above TO-MORROW, the 18th inst., at Noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
ROHLIDAY, WISE & CO.,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 15th February, 1896. [470]

**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**  
FOR MANILA.  
THE Steamship  
"SUNGKIANG."  
Captain O. B. N. Dodd, will be despatched on  
WEDNESDAY, the 19th inst., at 3 p.m.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
Hongkong, 17th February, 1896. [493]

**A BARGAIN.**  
K NIGHT TEMPLARS Fall Regalia for  
Apply to  
"K. T."  
Care of Office of this Paper.  
Hongkong, 15th February, 1896. [499]

**WANTED.**  
MESSRS. GEO. FENWICK & CO.,  
LIMITED, require the SERVICES  
of an ENGINEER (University) for their  
Works from the 1st April. Salary \$240 per  
Month.  
Applications enclosing Testimonials to be sent  
in writing to the GENERAL MANAGER of the  
Company.  
Hongkong, 6th February, 1896. [414]

## LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.

RACING SADDLES, 7th. Complete, \$60.  
HACK SADDLES, Complete, \$45.  
WOOLLEN GIBBS (Best Quality), per Pair, \$3.00.  
BRIDLES (with SHAFER'S Bits), Double, \$10.00.  
BRIDLES (with SHAFER'S Bits), Single, \$5.00.  
PONY CLOTHING, per Set, \$10.00.  
RIDING WHIPS (Ladies' and Gentlemen's).  
SPURS, MARTINGALES, BITS,  
STIRRUP LEATHERS.  
&c. &c. &c.

**STABLE REQUISITES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS.**  
LANE, CRAWFORD & CO.  
Hongkong, 5th February, 1896. [481]

**JUST LANDED EX S.S. "BOMBAY."**  
A LARGE and Varied Stock of Messrs.  
CROSS & BLACKWELL'S and  
PHILIPPE & CANAUX'S Best STORIES  
and PROVISIONS, as JAMS, JELLIES,  
PASTES, VINEGARS, LUCIA OIL, SARDINES,  
PATES, TIN MEATS, and other Delicacies.  
5% DISCOUNT for CASH.  
H. H. HUNTER,  
No. 13, D'ARCY STREET,  
Hongkong, 11th February, 1896. [482]

**NAIDIE JOHNSTON'S**  
SQUARE BOTTLE WHISKY  
The sale of this good Scotch Whisky has  
been monthly for the past few years, and  
is now being sold by CUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION.  
Sole Agents for it—  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,  
Hongkong.

**NOTICE.**  
THE UNDERSIGNED have been appointed  
SOLE AGENTS in Hongkong and  
China for Messrs. RUDOLF DAESCHNER  
& Co., and MANAGERS of Messrs. RUDOLF  
DAESCHNER & Co.'s FEATHER FAC-  
TORY at Kumtow Town, Hongkong.  
—Hongkong, February, 1896.  
LAUTS, WEGENER & CO.

**ENTERTAINMENT.**  
THEATRE ROYAL  
OF HALL  
THE  
HONGKONG AMATEUR DRAMATIC  
CLUB  
A THIRD PERFORMANCE  
OF  
"TRIAL BY JURY"  
OR  
"CREATURES OF IMPULSE"  
ON  
SATURDAY, 22nd FEBRUARY, 1896,  
Commencing at 8.30 p.m. precisely.  
TICKETS can be obtained at the THEATRE  
ROYAL on and after SATURDAY, the 15th  
February, at 9.30 a.m.  
BOOKING OFFICE open from 9.30 a.m. to  
4 p.m.  
Except on Race Days when it closes at Noon.  
The Public are reminded that NO CHIPS  
WILL BE TAKEN at the Booking Office.  
LATS TRAMS 15 minutes after Performance.  
Hongkong, 12th February, 1896. [484]

**AUCTIONS.**  
PUBLIC AUCTION.  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
COTTAGE PLANO, &c.  
THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION  
ON  
TUESDAY, the 19th FEBRUARY, 1896,  
Commencing at 2.30 p.m.,  
at "Eastley," UPPER HURD ROAD,  
the Residence of HENRY HUMPHREYS,  
Esq.

THE WHOLE of HIS  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
Comprising  
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in TAPE-  
STRY, FANCY and TEA TABLES,  
OVERMANTLES, BOOK CASE and  
BOOKS, WRITING DESK, PICTURES,  
ORNAMENTS, CUPBOARDS, CARPETS,  
RUGS, BRASS PENDENTS, &c., &c.  
COTTAGE PLANO by Humm and  
Moller.  
DINING TABLE, ARMCHAIRS,  
KITCHEN COFFIN, ARMCHAIRS,  
DINING and DESSETT SERVICES,  
ELECTROPLATE and GLASSWARE,  
CUTLERY, &c.  
SUNDRY REQUISITES, &c.  
WARDROBES with PLATE GLASS  
DOORS, MARBLE TOP WASHSTANDS,  
DRESSING TABLES, and SUNDY  
BEDROOM FURNITURE, &c., &c.  
BATHROOM REQUISITES,  
LAWN MOWER, GARDEN TOOLS,  
POTS, and PLANTS, &c.  
&c., &c., &c.  
Catalogue issued prior to Sale. On View  
from SUNDAY, the 16th FEBRUARY.  
TERMS OF SALE—As Customary.  
Geo. P. LAMBERT,  
Auctioneer.  
Hongkong, 12th February, 1896. [486]

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
COTTAGE PLANO, &c.  
THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION  
ON  
WEDNESDAY, the 19th FEBRUARY, 1896,  
Commencing at 2.30 p.m.,  
at his SALEROO, 200, QUEEN'S STREET,  
1 (for Sundry Accounts).  
A QUANTITY OF  
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
Comprising  
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in SILK  
TAPESTRY and PLUSH, FANCY and  
TEA TABLES, CANTON BLACKWOOD  
SPINDS, OVERMANTLES, BOOKCASES,  
WRITING TABLES, ORNAMENTS, CAR-  
PETS, RUGS, PENDENTS, LAMPES, RE-  
PEATING RIFLES, &c.  
One HARMONIUM in Good Condition.  
One COTTAGE PLANO in Good Condition,  
SHEDWARD'S Patent Glass Back.  
EXTENSION DINING TABLE and  
CHAIRS, DINING WAGGONS, DINING  
and DESSETT SERVICES, ELECTRO-  
PLATE and GLASSWARE, CUTLERY,  
PANTRY REQUISITES, COOKING  
STOVE, &c.  
One DOUBLE BRASS BEDSTEAD,  
DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BED-  
STEADS and MATTRESSES, SINGLE and  
DOUBLE WARDROBES with Plate Glass  
Doors, MARBLE TOP WASHSTANDS and  
DRESSING TABLES, SUNDY BED-  
ROOM FURNITURE, BATHROOM RE-  
QUISITES, &c., &c.  
Catalogue issued prior to Sale. On View  
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TERMS OF SALE—As Customary.  
Geo. P. LAMBERT,  
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Hongkong, 15th February, 1896. [487]

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THE Undersigned has received Instructions  
to sell by  
PUBLIC AUCTION  
ON  
FRIDAY, the 25th day of FEBRUARY instant,  
at 12 o'clock Noon  
(unless previously disposed of by Private  
Contract), on BOARD  
the British Steamer "BONNINGTON"  
of 1331 Tons Register—as she now lies in this  
Harbour.  
IN ONE LOT, comprising the HULL, MA-  
CHINERY, RIGGING, FITTINGS, and  
FURNISHINGS, CABLES and ANCHORS,  
&c., &c.  
TERMS OF SALE—One-third of the Par-  
chase Money to be paid on the fall of the  
hammer, and the balance within one week  
from date of Sale.  
The Vessel and everything pertaining thereto  
to be at Purchaser's risk immediately after be-  
ing knocked down.  
For further Particulars apply to  
HUGHES & HOUGH,  
Auctioneers.  
GILBERT & CO.,  
Liquor Agents.  
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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,  
Comprising  
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE in SILK  
TAPESTRY and PLUSH, FANCY and  
TEA TABLES, CANTON BLACKWOOD  
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